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- Take a Little Trip From Father (Ber-  
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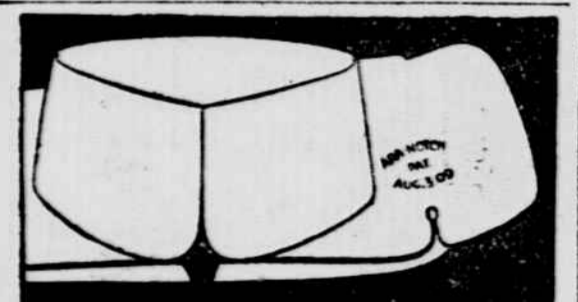
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CLASSED AS FIRE TRAPS.  
No Safe Skyscraper in New York,  
Architect Declares.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The feature of  
the annual dinner of the New York Art  
Societies here last night was the address  
of Ernest Flagg, president of the So-  
ciety of Beaux Arts Architects, who made  
the statement that there is not a fire-  
proof building in New York; that every  
skyscraper in the city is a fire trap, and  
that some day there will come a fire dis-  
aster that will wipe the people of the  
city.  
"The amount of wood used in our sky-  
scrapers is appalling," he said. "Our  
high buildings are put together like a  
candy box, with the elements for fire."

NEW LAWS NEEDED  
Statutes Should Guide Manu-  
facturers, Says Nagel.

WOULD FOSTER INDUSTRIES  
Cotton Men, in Convention Here,  
Applaud Secretary's Remarks.

MEDAL TO PRESIDENT SMYTH  
Head of Association, T. H. Stickney,  
D. R. Coker, Dr. W. D. Hunter  
and E. C. Sufferin Also Speak.

Two hundred or more representatives of  
the cotton manufacturing interests of the  
country, members of the American  
Cotton Manufacturers Association, held  
the opening session of that organization's  
sixteenth annual convention in the ball-  
room of the New Raleigh today.  
The morning session was called to order  
by Ellison A. Smyth, president of the as-  
sociation. Secretary Nagel of the Depart-  
ment of Commerce and Labor, spoke on  
the work of the bureau of manufactur-  
ing interests of the country exactly as the  
Department of Agriculture works for the  
farmer. He referred to regulation by the  
government of large industrial corpora-  
tions and railways, and said that this sort  
of legislation is good enough in its way,  
but it is all negative legislation. It tells  
the commercial interest what they shall  
not do. What is needed now, he said, is  
affirmative legislation. Such legislation  
would be a law providing for the federal  
incorporation of concerns doing an inter-  
state business. Under such a form of in-  
corporation the industrial concerns of the  
country would know exactly what they  
might do and what they were forbidden  
to do, and the resultant feeling of secur-  
ity would go far toward establishing the  
industries of the country on a substan-  
tial basis. Secretary Nagel's remarks  
were warmly applauded.

Year 1911 Unprofitable.

In his annual address President Ellison  
A. Smyth said that the year 1911 will go  
down as one of the most harassing, un-  
profitable and disappointing in the his-  
tory of the cotton manufacturing trade  
of the United States. Little raw cotton,  
he said, could be bought under the 15  
cent basis. This, with the fact that a  
large crop was promised, and the fur-  
ther fact that the goods market was not  
in a position to take care of a full out-  
put, made curtailment of production the  
order of the day, in consequence of which  
practically all the mills in the country  
operated on short time.  
Recent reductions in the price of raw  
cotton, he said, have brought no relief;  
such reductions have been exceeded by  
the declines in the value of the manu-  
factured products, and mill owners have  
been unable to make any better profits  
on 8 to 9 cent cotton than they made on  
raw cotton costing 12 to 14 cents.  
One of the bright spots of the past  
year, President Smyth said, was the sys-  
tematic investigation of export markets.  
Such investigations, he said, resulted in  
sending abroad more than 253,000,000  
yards of cotton goods, as against 180,000,  
000 yards for the year before, and 188,  
000,000 two years ago.

Development in Twenty Years.

Quoting from the New York Journal  
of Commerce, President Smyth told of  
the development in the last two decades  
of the manufacture in the United States  
of the finer grades of cotton goods, such  
as India linens, fine lawns, batistes, or-  
ganzies and similar goods.  
"Twenty years ago," he said, reading  
from the article referred to, "there were  
not a dozen mills in the United States  
which could compete with foreign mills in  
the manufacture of cloths of this character.  
With the improvement started in this  
country after 1880 interest in the cotton  
mill properties increased greatly, until  
it culminated in the great boom in mill  
building noted in New Bedford in the  
last half of the past decade."  
Accompanying this boom, said President  
Smyth, was an equally striking era of  
price reduction in the finer lines of cotton  
goods. Such goods, he said, of do-  
mestic production, now sell at the mills at  
from one-quarter to 7 cents a yard lower  
than in the years 1880-1892. In view of  
this condition, he said, "tariff tinkering"  
should be indicated in with caution, as,  
to his mind, it should be apparent to  
any fair-minded statesman that protec-  
tion, wisely directed, has been and is of  
great value to the cotton industry, from  
the consumer's standpoint as well as that  
of the mill owner.

Rules on Cotton Buying.

President Smyth advocated the appoint-  
ment of a committee on rules for cotton  
buying, the duty of which would  
be to seek some uniformity of action  
with manufacturers, establishing rules  
that will be fair to all parties concerned,  
and providing for the settlement of all  
disputes without resort to the courts.  
He concluded his address with an ar-  
rangement of the report of the bureau  
of labor in regard to woman and child  
workers, saying that the report is unfair  
and unjust, and that southern cotton  
mill owners, and doubtless unfair to  
northern mill men as well.  
"One glaring omission," he said, "is  
to be found in the so-called investigations  
of professional philanthropists or paid  
enemies," he said, "is a fair compar-  
ison of present conditions and standards  
of living with former surroundings, and  
in this report such comparison is con-  
spicuously lacking. Isolated cases of  
hardship and low standards of living are  
greatly exaggerated, and the many mill  
lives in our southern states, with a  
contented, prosperous population, sur-  
rounded by many comforts, whose people  
maintain a high standard of living, are  
purposely omitted and overlooked."  
The speaker referred to the protests  
that have been made by Senator Orren  
man of North Carolina and Representa-  
tives Steadman, Bartlett, Tribble and  
Adamson against such features of the report.  
Following the address of President  
Smyth, Andrew E. Moore of Gastonia, N.  
C., in behalf of the association, presented  
him with a handsome gold medal as a  
token of appreciation.  
A. H. Baldwin, chief of the bureau of  
manufactures, called the attention of the  
members to the exhibit of cotton cloths  
from foreign countries, shown in an ante-  
room.

G. H. Stickney Cites New Methods.

G. H. Stickney, who is an illuminating  
engineer with the General Electric Com-  
pany in their Harrison, N. J., plant, told  
of the developments within the last few  
years in methods of illuminating cotton  
mills and other textile manufacturing es-  
tablishments. Mr. Stickney told of the  
old days when artificial illumination was  
unheard of, and when all work was done  
by daylight. Discoveries in regard to  
methods of producing artificial light by  
electricity have revolutionized illumina-  
tion and working schedules at the same  
time.  
At the close of a brief discussion of Mr.  
Stickney's paper, the session adjourned  
for luncheon.  
Three papers were read at the after-  
noon session, each being followed by a  
short discussion.

D. R. Coker on Plant Breeders.

Speaking on the subject, "Does the  
American Cotton Industry Need the Plant  
Breeder?" David R. Coker of Hartsville,  
S. C., said there can be little reason to  
doubt that the work of the scientific plant  
breeder can be made of incalculable value  
to the cotton industry, from the plant  
in the field to the finished product in the  
mill.  
Mr. Coker told of experiments conduct-  
ed by himself, as well as other experi-  
ments under the direction of Prof. H. J.

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- 20c Heavy Seamless Mixed  
Varieties, yard 14c
- 25c Extra Heavy Seamless, yd. 18c
- 35c Double Extra Heavy;  
many patterns, yard 25c
- 40c Superfine, in choice pat-  
terns, yard 27 1/2c
- 45c Imperial "Palmed"—many  
patterns, yard 30c

Finest Japanese Mattings

- 30c Damask Mattings, yard 22 1/2c
- 35c Cotton Warp, yard 25c
- 40c Best of Damasks, yard 27 1/2c
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- 5.00 each, 6x9 feet, 4.00
- 9.00 each, 7 ft.6x10 ft. 6, 7.00
- 9.50 each, 9x12 feet, 8.50

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navy and natural, at, yard, 37 1/2c
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brown, tan, natural and cream, at, yd., 60c
- 45-inch White Ramie Suiting; all  
pure linen; extra good value at, yd., 45c
- 27-inch All Pure-linen Suitings,  
natural colors, at, yard, 18c

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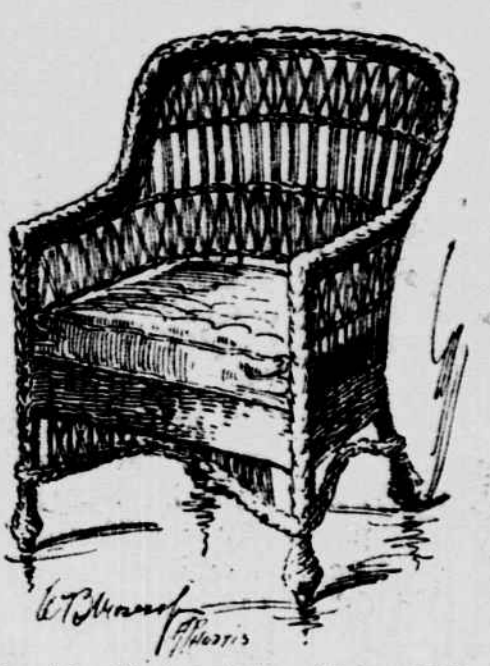
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		9x12 feet	\$6.45
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30.00	22.50	31.50	19.50
42.00	25.00	40.00	28.50
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